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***Task Force Band of Brothers***

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BALAD, Iraq (April 2, 2006) -- Two suspected insurgents were captured during a synchronized joint raid led by the Iraqi army, Sunday. Assisting the IA were Soldiers with the 1-8th Combined Arms Battalion, 3rd Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division, Task Force Band of Brothers.

The raid's objective was to capture insurgents known to be living in the area, prevent them from conducting further attacks on IA and coalition forces, as well as to gather intelligence.

One IA Soldier sustained a minor injury during the mission.

The suspected insurgents were taken to a secured location for further questioning and processing.